

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An image processing apparatus, comprising:

a main body;

an internal storage slot formed in the main body; and

5 a control panel moveably received in the internal storage slot, wherein the control panel comprises a keyboard through which the instructions for operating the image processing apparatus are inputted.

2. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the control panel is slidably received in the internal storage slot.

10 3. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, further comprising:

a display panel electrically connected to the control panel for displaying the inputted instructions and the status of the image processing apparatus.

15 4. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim1, further comprising:

a document-feeding unit arranged above the main body for feeding documents into the image processing apparatus.

5. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image processing apparatus is a printer.

6. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image processing apparatus is a copy machine.

5 7. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image processing apparatus is a facsimile machine.

8. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image processing apparatus is a scanner.

10 9. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image processing apparatus is a Multi-Functional Peripheral.

10. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the image processing apparatus further comprises a built-in modem.

11. The image processing apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the control panel is further installed with an infrared transmission device.

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